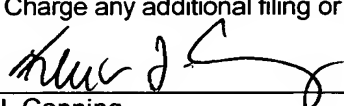
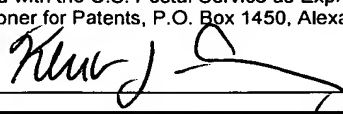
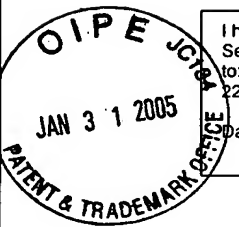


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In response to the Office Action dated November 04, 2004 (Paper No. 20011019), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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